

## Chief of Police Carl Dabadie

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## MOTHER ATTEMPTS TO CUT SON'S THROAT

GLORIA ROSS, 40, 3112 MISSION DR, was arrested this morning and booked into East Baton Rouge Parish Prison for Attempt 1<sup>st</sup> Degree Murder and 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree Cruelty to a Juvenile. Police were dispatched to Mission Dr around 6:55am this morning after receiving reports that Ross attempted to kill her 8 year old son by slashing his throat with a kitchen knife.

Ross was reported saying that "Jesus told her to kill her son". The 8 year old victim and two other uninjured victims were able to escape after a brief struggle with the knife.

The victim was transported to a local hospital with a non life threatening laceration to the throat.

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